

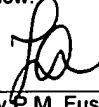


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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:
Philip E. Thorpe and Sophia Ran

Serial No.: 09/351,862

Filed: July 12, 1999

For: CANCER TREATMENT KITS USING
ANTIBODIES TO
AMINOPHOSPHOLIPIDS

Group Art Unit: 1617

Examiner: Sharareh, S.

Atty. Dkt. No.: 4001.002282

**REQUEST UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) FOR
LIMITED SUSPENSION OF ACTION AFTER RCE**

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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c), Applicants request a limited suspension of action of three months after filing a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) in compliance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.114.

The present request for suspension of action is proper as it is filed with the request for continued examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114, specifies a period of suspension (three months) and includes the processing fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i).

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i), a check in the amount of \$1,520.00 is enclosed, which includes the process fee (\$130.00) for a request under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c). If the check is inadvertently omitted, or should any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 to 1.21 be required for any reason relating to the enclosed materials, the Commissioner is authorized to deduct said fees from Williams, Morgan & Amerson, P.C. Deposit Account No. 50-0786/4001.002282.

Respectfully submitted,
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**AMENDMENT; AND RESPONSE TO
THIRD OFFICE ACTION FOR ENTRY WITH RCE**

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Sir:

The Examiner is respectfully requested to enter the following amendments. A second response to the Third and Final Official Action ("the Third Action") dated October 22, 2002 is also submitted and the Examiner is respectfully requested to consider the remarks therein. The response is timely in light of the enclosed Request for Extension of Time and appropriate fee. The response is believed to place all claims in condition for allowance and re-examination and reconsideration is respectfully requested on this basis.